

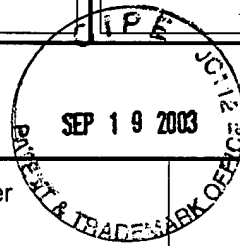
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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

 Docket No.  
DC-0156

In Re Application Of: DeLeo and Weinstein


 Serial No.  
09/857,385

 Filing Date  
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 Examiner  
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 Invention: AN ANIMAL MODEL AND COMPOUNDS IDENTIFIED VIA THIS MODEL FOR  
TREATMENT OF CHRONIC PAIN

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

 This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of May 21, 2003 in the above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

 from: August 22, 2003  
Date

 until: September 21, 2003  
Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	1 -	20 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$42.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$55.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$55.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of **\$55.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. **50-1619** in the amount of **\$55.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1619**

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